

Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker : (a) Copies of assessment orders are sent to assessees having incomes above Rs. 15,000.

(b) The information will be gathered.

(c) The answer is in the negative.

Mr. Paul A. Thaliath : May I know whether there is any special reason for not giving assessment orders to assessees below Rs. 15,000 ?

Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker : No special reasons. The point urged by the honourable member will be considered when working the new Act.

Mr. K. C. Chandy : May I know whether there was no order served before ?

Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker : Up to Rs. 15,000 and above were served. In other cases, on applications, they were supplied with assessment orders.

Revision of land tax and agricultural income tax.

123. ***Mr. G. Ravi Varma :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Special Officer appointed for revising the land tax and introducing basic tax and agricultural income tax has submitted a report ; and

(b) whether the report submitted will be placed before the Legislature for discussion and adoption by the Legislature ?

Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker : (a) and (b) Yes. The report has been considered by Government and necessary orders have been issued.

Mr. K. G. Narayana Panicker : May I know whether these orders are published in the Gazette ?

Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker : Yes, Sir.

Acquisition of land in Chengazhacherry Pakuthy, Trivandrum.

124. ***Mr. A. N. Satyanesan :** Will the Government be pleased to state the purpose for which 5 acres and 25 cents of land are being acquired in the Chengazhacherry Pakuthy of Trivandrum Taluk ?

Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker : For the purpose of constructing permanent buildings for the usual annual Exhibition.

All-Kerala Catholic Congress.

125. ***Mr. A. N. Satyanesan :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(a) whether they are aware of any Government Officers having been at the tea-party given to Mr. P. K. Salva in connection with the recent All-Kerala Catholic Congress at Athirampuzha ;

(b) whether they are aware that the All-Kerala Catholic Congress is a political organisation ;

(c) whether it has been brought to their notice that the 22nd Session of the Congress recently held at Athirampuzha was opened by His Lordship Dr. Kalachery, Bishop of Changanacherry ; and

(d) whether the Bishop's opening address, in its complete form, has come under their notice ?

Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker : (a) No Government Officers took part.

(b) Yes. It is believed to be a socio-religious organisation but is now also political in its activities.

(c) Yes.

(d) Yes.

Mr. A. N. Satyanesan : സർ. അതിരമ്പുഴ കാൺഗ്രസ്സിൽ ബിഷപ്പ് കാളാച്ചേരി ചെയ്ത പ്രസംഗം അവധാനപൂർവ്വം പരിശോധിക്കുകയുണ്ടായോ?

Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker : മറുപടിയിൽ പറഞ്ഞിരിക്കുന്നതിൽ കൂടുതൽ പറയുവാൻ നിവൃത്തിയില്ല.

First Class Magistrate of Alwaye.

126. * **Mr. Paul A. Thaliath :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Division Peishkar of Kottayam has received any representation about the conduct of the First Class Magistrate of Alwaye ; and

(b) if the answer to (a) is in the affirmative what action has been taken ?

Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker : (a) No.

(b) Does not arise in view of the answer to part (a).

Temporary Sub-Registry Offices.

127. * **Mr. K. A. Raman Pillai :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(a) the number of temporary Sub-Registry Offices in the State ; and

(b) the number of documents registered in each of these Sub-Registry Offices during 1118, 1119, 1120 and up to Medom 1121 respectively ?

Mr. C. P. Gopala Panicker : (a) 18.

(b) A *statement furnishing the information is laid on the table.

Mr. K. A. Raman Pillai : May I know when these temporary Sub-Registry Offices were opened ?

* *Vide Appendix II, page 247.*